

# **guru ashtakam**

shree shankaraachaarya krita

shareeram suroopam tathaa vaa kalatram  
yashashchaaru chitram dhanam merutulyam |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 1 ||

kalatram dhanam putrapoutraadi sarvam  
gruham baandhavaah sarvametaddhi jaatam |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 2 ||

shaDangaadivedaa mukhe shaastravidyaa  
kavitvaadi gadyam supadyam karoti |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 3 ||

videsheshu maanyah svadesheshu dhanyah  
sadaachaaravrutteshu matto na chaanyah  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 4 ||

kshamaamanDale bhoopabhoopaalavrundaih  
sadaa sevitam yasya paadaaravindam |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 5 ||

yasho me gatam dikshu daanaprataapaa -  
jjagadvastu sarvam kare yatprasaadaat |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 6 ||

na bhoge na yoge na vaa vaajiraajou  
na kaantaamukhe naiva vitteshu chittam |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 7 ||

aranye na vaa svasya gehe na kaarye  
na dehe mano vartate me tvanardhye |  
manashchenna lagnam guroranghripadme  
tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim tatah kim || 8 ||

guror ashTakam yah paThet punya dehi  
yatir bhoopatir brahmachaaree cha gehi |  
labhet vaanChitaartham padam brahma sangyam  
gurorukta vaakye mano yasya lagnam || 9 ||